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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF TODOR PRAKHOV,
BULGARIAN LABOR UNION LEADER

The chairman of the Central Committee of the General Labor Union in Bulgaria is Todor Prakhov, who is less than 50 years old. His father was an artisan, and Prakhov is a mechanic by profession. Prakhov has been active in the labor movement since 1927. Persecuted by the Fascist regime, he went underground in 1942, and was sentenced to death by that regime for contempt of court.

Prakhov participated in the insurrection of 9 September 1944. He was elected secretary of the Central Committee of the General Labor Union at the first congress of the union in 1945 and has been its chairman since January 1950. At present, the General Labor Union has about 750,000 members.

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